

**State/Territory Plan  
2022 - 2024**

**4.1.8 Lead Agencies are required to develop and implement strategies to increase the supply of and improve the quality of child care services (98.16 (x)). These strategies should address children in underserved areas; infants and toddlers; children with disabilities, as defined by the Lead Agency; and children who receive care during non-traditional hours. Identify what method(s) is (are) used to increase supply and/or to improve quality for the following populations and indicate in the description if a strategy is focused more on building supply or on improving quality.**

**e. Other. Check all that apply.**

<b>State/Territory</b>	<b>Grants and contracts (as discussed in 4.1.6)</b>	<b>Family child care Networks</b>	<b>Start-up funding</b>	<b>Technical assistance support</b>	<b>Recruitment of providers</b>	<b>Tiered payment rates (as discussed in 4.3.3)</b>	<b>Support for improving business practices, such as management training, paid sick leave, and shared services</b>	<b>Accreditation supports</b>	<b>Child care health consultation</b>	<b>Mental health consultation</b>	<b>Other</b>
Total	27	7	8	12	15	8	6	4	4	9	14
Alabama											
Alaska											X
American Samoa											
Arizona											
Arkansas											
California	X	X	X		X						
Colorado	X										
Connecticut		X						X			
Delaware	X			X	X					X	
District of Columbia	X										

Florida	X										
Georgia	X				X					X	
Guam											X
Hawaii	X										
Idaho			X	X	X			X	X		
Illinois	X										
Indiana	X			X	X	X	X				
Iowa											
Kansas											
Kentucky											
Louisiana	X										
Maine				X	X					X	X
Maryland	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X
Massachusetts	X	X		X	X	X	X			X	
Michigan											
Minnesota					X						X
Mississippi	X										
Missouri	X		X	X	X						
Montana											X
Nebraska											X
Nevada	X	X	X	X	X		X				X
New Hampshire											
New Jersey											X
New Mexico	X					X					
New York	X										

North Carolina	X	X		X	X	X	X		X	X	X
North Dakota											
Northern Mariana Islands											X
Ohio				X	X	X		X		X	
Oklahoma											X
Oregon											X
Pennsylvania											
Puerto Rico	X		X								
Rhode Island	X										
South Carolina		X	X		X					X	X
South Dakota	X										
Tennessee	X										
Texas	X										
Utah	X										
Vermont	X										
Virgin Islands											
Virginia	X										
Washington				X		X					
West Virginia											
Wisconsin	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Wyoming											